

Taveuni is currently identified as the prime location to find the Kulawai, as its forests have undergone minimal change compared to Viti Levu, with the majority remaining untouched.

**2. Fiji Petrels:** Although our knowledge of this elusive species is slowly increasing, the timing of the breeding cycle remains uncertain. However, the critically endangered Fiji Petrel *Pseudobulweria macgillivrayi* is believed to breed only on the island of Gau, Fiji, but its nesting grounds have yet to be located.

**3. Outreach for the Nanai cicada:** Nature Fiji working solely for the conservation and sustainable management of Fiji's unique natural heritage. Their mission is to enhance biodiversity and habitat conservation, endangered species protection and sustainable use of Fiji's natural resources through the promotion of collaborative conservation action, awareness raising, education, research, and biodiversity information exchange.



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## Statement from the Acting Executive Director

"I urge you all to really think about the role that creation plays in our lives or what is our role in creation in ensuring that the plants and animals around us can continue to sing their praises to God and the decisions that we make."



**Nunia Thomas – Moko**  
Director - Nature Fiji

## Background of Establishment

NatureFiji-MareqetiViti (NFMV) is a non – profit organisation that works towards addressing humanitarian crisis, unmet medical and wellness care, research and health protection needs in Fiji. ACATA established in 2011, Founded by DR BP Ram and Rosan Lal, has a strong network and trusted reputation: working in partnership with the Ministry of Health, Ministry of Education, Diabetes Fiji, Corporate, Town Councils & Health NGOs (local & international) to deliver innovative, evidence based behaviour change programs in schools, villages & communities.



## Mission

NatureFiji-MareqetiViti's mission is to enhance biodiversity and habitat conservation, endangered species protection and sustainable use of natural resources of the Fiji Islands through the promotion of collaborative conservation action, awareness raising, education, research and biodiversity information exchange.

## Vision

NatureFiji-MareqetiViti's vision of Fiji in 50 years' time is of a healthy environment maintaining its diversity of species and habitats, its ecological integrity and resilience, parts of which are in pristine condition.



## Main Activity

Founded in 2007, NatureFiji-MareqetiViti (NFMV) has teamed up with BirdLife International, the Fiji Ministry of Forestry (MOF), the National Trust of Fiji (NTF), and private sector partners to emerge as Fiji's leading terrestrial biodiversity conservation organisation. NFMV spearheads nearly all ongoing endangered species conservation projects in Fiji, including initiatives focused on species like the Fiji Petrel, Fiji Flying Fox, Fiji Mastiff Bat, Fiji Sago Palm, Navua Palm, Red-throated Lorikeet, Yaqaga Crested Iguana, Collared Petrel, and Fiji Acropyle.

For more information, visit: [www.naturefiji.org](http://www.naturefiji.org)

## Outstanding Achievement

**1. The search for the Kulawai:** In November 2019, a collaborative effort with the IUCN Oceania Regional Office, BirdLife International, Conservation International, Wildlife Conservation Society, National Trust of Fiji, and the Fiji Museum initiated a fundraising campaign. Its aim was to locate Fiji's most endangered forest bird.